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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR))	
DETERMING AN OPERATING))	
CONDITION IN A COMMUNICATIONS))	
SYSTEMS))	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed September 4, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in light of the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 8 of this paper.

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